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## A Glimpse of Kaiser William.

[N. Y. Herald's Mayence Correspondence.]  
I have written this letter piece by piece, covering, as it does, a great deal of ground; what in the beginning was written in Geneva and continued at Mayence. I am now concluding at Frankfurt-on-the-Main, whither I came to study that phase of emigration to Prussian rule which has life in Germany and which I was anxious to convey to the readers of the Herald. It was a gray and foggy morning when I arrived, and I found the little railway hotel in a flutter. "What was the matter?" "The matter!" said the open-eyed porter, "Why, the Kaiser of all Deutschland will be here at 10 o'clock." Sure enough the Kaiser of all Deutschland was on his way to Frankfurt, meaning to breakfast, and, after all this writing about kings, here was a real king at last.

And what a flurry our hotel was in! carpets were tacked down, and little groups of greenery to hide the dirt on the stairs. And in time a couple of Prussians (as sentries) came to the door and mounted guard, while two other sentries were posted on the stairs. Then came a servant who quickly scattered a layer of sand over the path to the railway station. Then came a sprinkling of Prussian officials of all grades, civil and military, in a high state of pipelay and lace and gorgeous uniforms. A gentle rain kept the people at home, and there was a small gathering, say in all a hundred persons. Ten o'clock came; there was a ringing of the railway bell, the blowing of a railway whistle, and a rush to the station. I stood on the low balcony, and in a moment a group was seen approaching, fringed with an outlying troop of eager, scampering boys, as though the policemen were carrying off an important arrest. In the front of the group was a tall man, looking rather because of a long gray cloak, with a fur collar, which enrolled his form. This was the Kaiser of all Deutschland, the high and mighty William of Germany.

Well, his Majesty quietly walked, almost limped, up the stairs, and returning your correspondent's bow, entered the hotel. Sacred majesty looked very old, I must say, and "krugry," as the pugilists would have it, and "shaky on his pins." But sacred majesty is old, very old, remember, and he has been riding all night in a railway car. His face is a good face—generous, honest, and kindly. The snow-white beard is darkened (presumably by ointment), and the eye is keen and searching—a very honest and true man from his looks, he being our commoner.

The Kaiser was on his way to Baden to see the Empress and drink the waters. He remained with us two hours, and breakfasted. There were fifty in his suite, none of them with names known outside of the palace. At noon he walked back into the station, scrambled into his car—not without an effort—and stood at the door bowing and smiling in a genuine, frank, neighborly fashion, as the train was pulled away. I could not interview him, which was a disappointment, but I did interview our porter on the subject upon my return.

"Porter," said I, "did the Kaiser give the boys any drink money?"  
"Oh, yes," said the pleased and truly loyal serving man. "His Majesty had fifty persons with him, and he gave the boys thirty thalers for drink money"—in round American money, say twenty-five dollars—and you know what a German Kaiser pays for being waited upon at breakfast.

I nearly forgot to say that no one cheered the great King.

**ELECTION BETS.**—It seems like trifling with the grave when questions are propounded as to what is the status of the bets on the result of the Presidential election since Mr. Greeley's death, but nevertheless there are a great many persons who have a large pecuniary interest in having the matter definitely settled. In point of law there is really no Presidential election until after the Electors have met and cast the votes of the several States which they represent. Now, owing to a dispensation of Providence, it became impossible for the Electors to meet, it became impossible for the Electors to vote for Mr. Greeley, and if he had carried a majority of the States his election would still have been impossible. Taking a purely technical and legal view of the case, there seems to be sufficient ground to warrant those who have lost in making the inquiry.

Wilkes' Spirit of the Times, admitted authority in all such matters, decides that the election has been practically consummated and that the losers must pay. The subject matter of the bets, as understood by the parties at the time the money was put up, was the vote by the people, without reference to any contingency that might happen in the Electoral College or in the lives of the candidates. The ambiguous terms sometimes employed do not change the general principle. For instance, a bet that "General Grant" would be the next President would be determined as soon as the people had voted, and would not depend upon the action of the Electoral College or on the contingency of his life being spared to enter upon the office.

**ROAST TURKEY.**—Select a fine plump yellow-skinned turkey, weighing from ten to twelve pounds. Examine thoroughly to see that all the pin feathers are taken out; hold it over a blaze to singe any fine hairs that may remain, wash it thoroughly inside and out and rub it over with salt. Take the gizzard, heart and liver, put them into cold water, and let them boil until tender. When done, chop them very fine. Take stale bread or the large Boston crackers, and grate or chop them. Add salt, pepper and some sweet herb, if liked, to the bread crumble, after which beat two eggs with which to moisten the crumble, add egg mix thoroughly with this the chopped "inwards" mix thoroughly to put in salt and butter. Fill not forgetting to put in the dressing, taking the inside of the turkey with the dressing, look care that the neck or crop is made to look plump, and sew the opening, drawing the skin tightly together. Then rub a little butter over your turkey and lay it upon the grate of your meat pan. Cover the bottom of the pan well with boiling water. After a half hour baste the turkey by pouring over it the gravy that has begun to form in the pan. Repeat the basting once in about fifteen minutes. In an hour, once in about fifteen minutes, a twelve pound turkey will require at least three hours, but every oven has its own way of baking, and the cook must be governed by it.—*Fred. Herald.*

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